

**TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE**



FISCAL NOTE

HB 907 - SB 773

March 10, 2011

SUMMARY OF BILL: Removes the authority of a municipality or municipal agency to participate in, sponsor, conduct, or administer a cooperative purchasing agreement for supplies or any services other than construction, engineering, or architectural services or construction materials with one or more other local governments within the state.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions:

- Pursuant to Tenn. Code Ann. § 12-3-1009(a), municipalities are authorized to participate in, sponsor, conduct, or administer a cooperative purchasing agreement for the procurement of any supplies, services, or construction with one or more other local governments of the state.
- Tenn. Code Ann. § 12-3-1009(b)(1) authorizes municipalities and municipal agencies to participate in cooperative purchasing agreements other than for construction, engineering, or architectural services or construction materials with one or more local governments within the state or outside the state. The provisions of this bill remove the authority to enter into such agreements with other local governments within the state.
- Removing the authority to participate in cooperative agreements that exclude construction, engineering, or architectural services or construction materials with local governments within the state, in light of the authority granted in subsection (a), will not significantly affect local government operations or their authority to participate in other cooperative purchasing agreements.

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CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "James W. White". The signature is fluid and cursive, with the first name "James" written in a smaller, more compact script than the last name "White".

James W. White, Executive Director

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